

Dear FCC,

It would seem to me that the Sinclair Broadcasting network is violating election laws. It would also seem that they are not doing a public service by airing their "anti-Kerry smear movie". Their decision to get their stations to run this "documentary" days before the election is yet another negative result of media consolidation.

I hope the FCC doesn't ignore the fact that Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. But when large companies control the airwaves, we get more of what's good for the bottom line and less of what we need for our democracy. Instead of something produced at "News Central" far away, it's more important that we see real people from our own communities and more substantive news about issues that matter.

Sinclair's actions are appalling. This giant shows why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. (which is what has been happening) Thank you.